

DATE: May 10, 2012

TO: City Clerk

FROM: Mayor John F. Cook

ADDRESS: 2 Civic Center Plaza, El Paso TX 79901 TELEPHONE (915) 541-4145

Please place the following item on the (Check one): CONSENT XXX REGULAR \_\_\_\_\_

Agenda for the Council Meeting of May 22, 2012

Item should read as follows: Re-appointment of Maxey Scherr to the Ethics Review Commission by Mayor John F. Cook.

**BOARD COMMITTEE/COMMISSION APPOINTMENT/REAPPOINTMENT FORM**

NAME OF BOARD/COMMITTEE/COMMISSION: Ethics Review Commission

NOMINATED BY: John F. Cook DISTRICT: Mayor

NAME OF APPOINTEE Maxey Scherr  
(Please verify correct spelling of name)

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: El Paso ST: TX ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: El Paso ST: TX ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

DOES THE PROPOSED APPOINTEE HAVE A RELATIVE WORKING FOR THE CITY? YES: \_\_\_\_\_

IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE HIS OR HER NAME, CITY POSITION AND RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROPOSED APPOINTEE:

WHO WAS THE LAST PERSON TO HAVE HELD THIS POSITION BEFORE IT BECAME VACANT?

NAME OF INCUMBENT: Reappointment

EXPIRATION DATE OF INCUMBENT: 02/20/2012

REASON PERSON IS NO LONGER IN OFFICE (CHECK ONE): TERM EXPIRED: X  
RESIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
REMOVED \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: 05/22/2012

TERM BEGINS ON : 02/21/2012

EXPIRATION DATE OF NEW APPOINTEE: 02/20/2014

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: 1<sup>st</sup> TERM: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> TERM: X

UNEXPIRED TERM: \_\_\_\_\_

# Maxey Marie Scherr

## Education

Juris Doctorate	<u>Texas Tech School of Law</u>	2008
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	<u>University of Massachusetts</u>	2005
Minor: Sociology	<u>Magna Cum Laude</u>	

## Experience

Attorney	<u>Law Offices of Scherr &amp; Legate, P.L.L.C.</u>	2008-Current
	<i>Civil Litigation Experience in: Personal Injury, Products Liability, Civil Rights, Employment, Insurance Law</i>	
Legal Intern	<u>Independent Jamaica Council for Human Rights</u>	Summer 2007
Kingston, Jamaica	<i>Assisted clients in criminal/civil/constitutional matters, wrote briefs, memos and pleadings, attended prison visits, conducted interviews, wrote/edited numerous publications &amp; directed representation of clients</i>	
Legal Intern	<u>Congressman Silvestre Reyes</u>	Summer 2006
	<i>House of Representatives, wrote: press releases, bills, &amp; Speeches, researched past legislation, attended congressional briefings, accompanied the Congressman to events, led tours, met with key politicians on different issues including: human rights, health, immigration, &amp; social security</i>	

## Professional

Member	<u>Texas Bar Association</u>	current
Member	<u>American Bar Association</u>	current
Member	<u>ABA Young Lawyer Division</u>	current
Member	<u>Mexican American Bar Association</u>	current
Philanthropy Leader	<u>TTU: Women's Caucus</u>	2005-2008

## Volunteer

Political Involvement	Judge Moody, TX Supreme Court Campaign	2006, 2009
Political Involvement	Joe Moody Campaign, El Paso, TX	2009
Political Involvement	Barack Obama, Presidential Campaign	2007-2008
Political Involvement	Voter's Registration	1995-2005
Community Work	Children's Protective Services & Child Crisis	El Paso, Texas
Community Work	Meals on Wheels	El Paso, Texas
Area Involvement	Upward Bound	Boston, Massachusetts

# References

1. Congressman Silvestre Reyes      Previous Employer      202-225-4831
2. Nancy Anderson      Previous Employer      876-967-1204
3. Concepcion Quintero      Current Co-Attorney      915-319-7247
4. Vaughn James      Law Professor      806-742-3990 x 246
5. Ajumre Wingo      Philosophy Professor      303-492-6132
6. Victor Obevoen      Personal Reference      617-447-8203
7. Charlotte Orabor      Personal Reference      617-459-8317
8. Mary Walker      Personal Reference      956-681-9422